

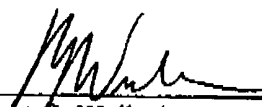
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supported by the originally submitted application, as disclosed in the specification,  
drawings and claims.

Thus, prompt and favorable consideration of this Supplement To The Amendment  
is respectfully requested.

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**CLEAN COPY OF AMENDED CLAIM**

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a center conductor,  
a non-electrically conductive insulation layer, provided around the center conductor, having a thickness of 0.15 mm or less, and  
a first outer, ribbon-shaped conductor, obtained by pressing a copper or copper alloy round wire into a flat form, without annealing after pressing, the ribbon-shaped conductor being spirally wrapped around said insulation layer.

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**MARKED-UP PREVIOUS VERSION OF AMENDED CLAIM**

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a first outer, ribbon-shaped conductor, obtained by pressing a copper or copper alloy round wire into a flat form, without annealing after pressing, the ribbon-shaped conductor being spirally wrapped[, under a tension of at least 30% of the tensile strength of the ribbon-shaped conductor,] around said insulation layer.

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